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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Chicago will not stand for any telephone merger.

An Outer Harbor and permanent bridges over the river is what Chicago needs.

In Alderman Irwin R. Hazen the people of the Thirty-fifth Ward, and the people of Chicago in general, have a representative in the City Council who is working all the time for their best interests.

Charles E. Cruikshank, the popular lawyer and former State Senator, is in line for a good nomination by the Republicans next year.

Judge John R. Caverly has earned by able and clean record a widespread popularity in Chicago.

No man in Illinois stands higher in the estimation of the people today than former United States Senator Albert J. Hopkins.

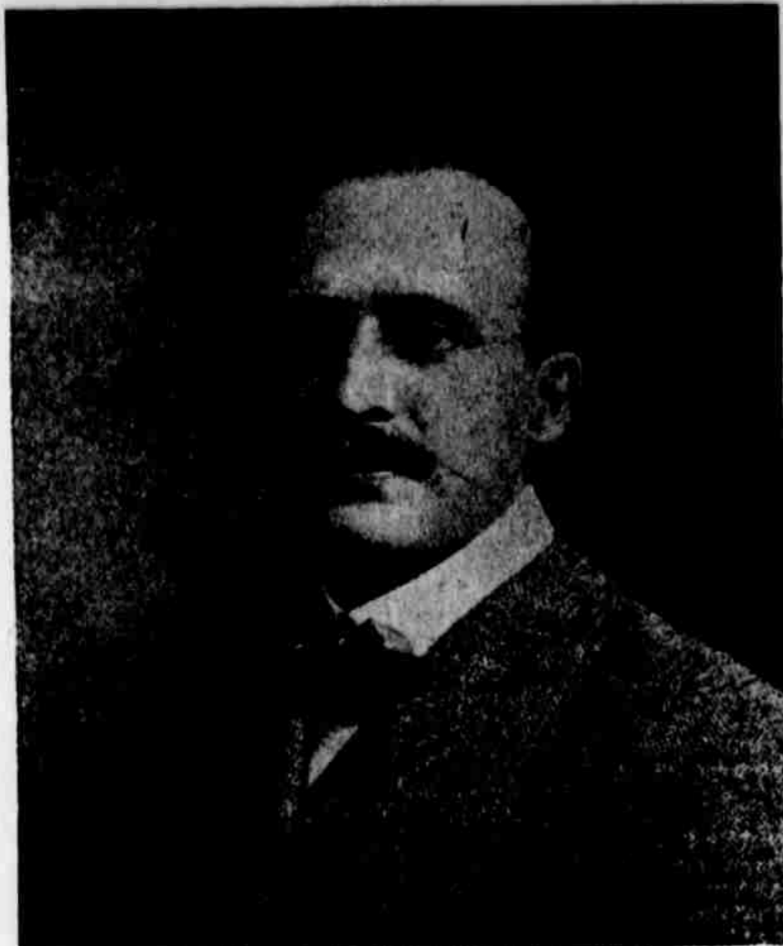
Members of the local industries committee of the council were the guests of the Chicago Association of Commerce Wednesday on a trip of inspection of the city's large industrial plants. A visit was made to all of the large plants situated on railroad terminals so as to give the members of the committee an education on subjects they will be interested in.

At a meeting of the council committee on the Water Department Monday a subcommittee was appointed to make a study of Chicago's water supply.

Aldermen Littler, Captain McInerney, Vavrick and Bergen are on the subcommittee to take up the matter and report to the City Council before the making of the 1912 budget.

The discussion of water famine was brought up when Alderman Wilson's resolution for a report on the water system was under discussion. Pumping stations, crabs in the lake and the principal water mains will be inspected by the subcommittee, co-operating with the Water Department and the Commissioner of Public Works. It is the purpose of the subcommittee to find out the cause of the water shortages which menace the public and make recommendations for improvements.

This will be, Alderman Wilson explained, that either rehabilitation of water mains, equipment or pumping



WILLIAM LEGNER,
Popular Brewer and Democratic Leader.

stations be made, or that a curtailment of water waste be made possible. The committee called on H. L. Lucas, superintendent of the water pipe extension bureau, for his opinion of the cause of the famine. As a remedy Superintendent Lucas recommended additional water mains and service pipes.

OBITUARY.

Thomas H. Glassbrook.
Thomas H. Glassbrook for over fifty years a resident of Chicago, died on Tuesday at his residence 346 Webster avenue.

Mr. Glassbrook was connected with the County Treasurer's office for more than twenty years and was regarded as one of the best informed as well as one of the most careful and reliable tax experts in Chicago.

The deceased was universally respected and was liked by all who knew him. Besides his widow, Mrs. Eliza V. Glassbrook, two daughters survive him, Mrs. C. S. O'Leary and Mrs. Richard J. Finn.

Personally Mr. Glassbrook was an ideal citizen, a true friend and good husband and father. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Catholic Benevolent Legion and other societies.

The funeral, which was largely attended, occurred on Friday from St. Vincent's church, of which the deceased was one of the first parishioners. Interment was at Calvary.

Gustavus J. Tatge, county attorney, is investigating justices of the peace and police magistrates of Cook County. He wants to find out how many have made reports to the clerk of the County Court concerning the fines, forfeitures and penalties that they have collected.

John M. Duffy, the well known and highly respected attorney, is strongly backed for nomination by the Democrats for Superior Court Judge this fall.

Judge John R. Newcomer is being boomed by his friends for State's Attorney next year.

Former State Senator F. C. DeLang has announced his candidacy for Congressman Foss' seat in the Tenth District.

Henry J. Kolze, the popular former County Commissioner, is being talked of for Congress.

Harry L. Bird has resigned the office of secretary of the Legislative Voters' League, which he has held since the spring of 1910. A new secretary of the Legislative Voters' League will not be chosen until the return of the President. Clifford W. Barnes, who is passing the summer in Scotland.

The appointment of Mathias Aller as a member of the Bridewell Board meets with the approval of everybody. Mayor Harrison couldn't have made a better selection.

Henry Neil of the National Probation League, was appointed by Peter Barten of the County Board to "make an examination into the conditions surrounding dependency of children and their disposition through the Juvenile Court, the Juvenile Detention Home and the probation department."

That Col. James Hamilton Lewis will be the choice of the Democrats for United States Senator is certain.

Edward Tilden enjoys the confidence and highest esteem of the people of Chicago, which he has earned by his grand record as a business man, a public official and a citizen.

Judge Edward Osgood Brown's able, honest and brilliant record on the bench has made him popular with all classes of Chicagoans.

At the meeting of the South Park Commissioners Wednesday afternoon Judge John Barton Payne, president of the South Park Board, appointed Commissioners Donnersberger and Foreman as a committee to investigate the riparian rights of the proper-

ty holders along the lake shore between Grant Park and Jackson Park. In appointing the commissioners Judge Payne said:

"Last week I held a conference with Mayor Harrison, and at that conference it was agreed that the land between Grant Park and Jackson Park should be acquired for the public and turned over to the South Park commissioners. The committee appointed will investigate the riparian rights of the property holders between the two parks."

It is presumed that the South Park Commissioners wish to acquire the land so that it may be used for the establishment of public bathing beaches.

The Chicago Postoffice Clerks' Association, branch of the U. N. A. P. O. C., will run its annual lake excursion this year to Michigan City on the boat Theodore Roosevelt this Sunday, July 23. Arrangements have been made for an exceptionally jolly time during the passage over and back. A band of sixty pieces will escort the party.

An oil painting of Chief Justice Orrin N. Carter of the Illinois State Supreme Court was placed in the courtroom of County Judge John E. Owens on Monday. Chief Justice Carter was county judge of Cook County for eight years, beginning in 1894. The portrait was painted by Emanuel Goodman.

James S. Hopkins, the able and highly respected attorney, would make a splendid judge of the Superior Court.

Albert G. Wheeler stands foremost among Chicago's ablest and most successful financiers and business men.

Albert J. Hopkins, the popular former United States Senator, will be the first choice of Illinois for vice president in the Republican National Convention next year.

Judge Marcus Kavanagh's record on the bench is so well known that his re-election next fall is assured.

Daniel L. Cruick is daily gaining votes for his candidacy for Superior court judge on the Democratic ticket and he should win. Mr. Cruick has a host of friends and admirers in every ward in the city and no man is better qualified to sit on the bench.

Col. James Hamilton Lewis is the first choice of the Democratic rank and file for United States Senator next year.

Alderman Irwin R. Hazen is one of the ablest and most active members of the City Council. The Thirty-fifth Ward can well be proud of a representative like him.

John J. Coburn is the right man to place on the Superior Court bench and his candidacy deserves support.

Frank J. Hogan, the popular and well known attorney, is in line for nomination by the Democrats for municipal judge next year.

As a judge, a lawyer and a citizen, Judge Edward Osgood Brown has a record to his credit that he can at all times point to with pride.

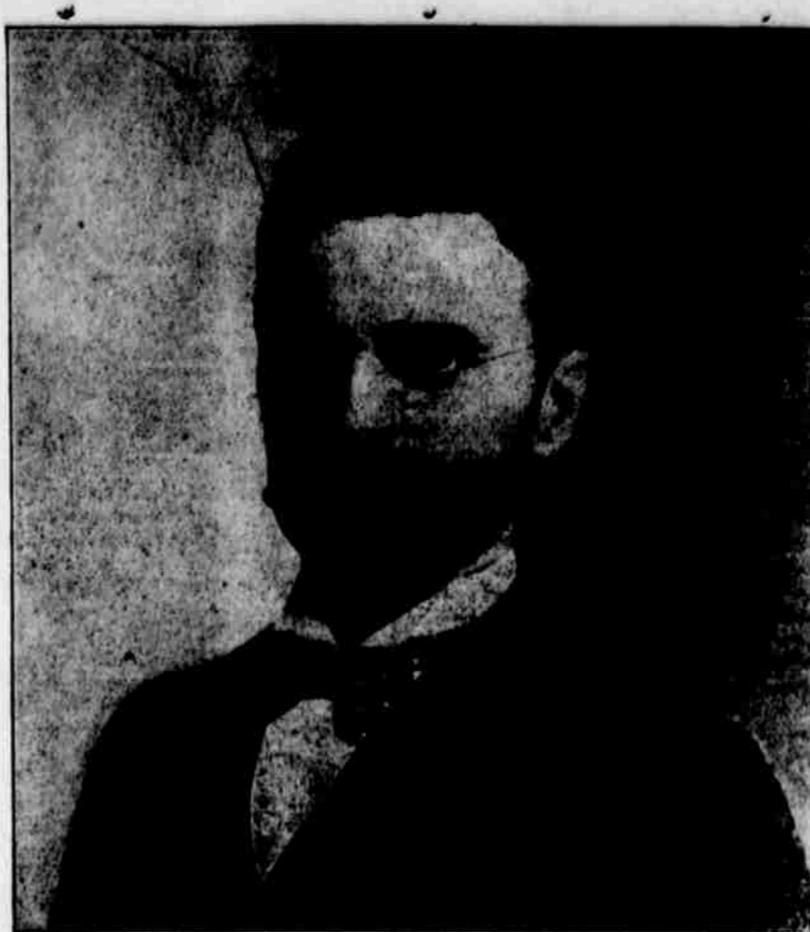
Judge John R. Caverly's big host of friends and admirers are pleased at the splendid record he is making on the Municipal Court bench.

Judge Richard E. Burke is making the able and painstaking record on the Superior Court bench that everybody knew he would make. He is a good judge.

Charles B. Pavlicek, the popular attorney for the West Park board, is strongly backed for a nomination by the Republicans for Superior Court judge.

John J. Bradley, the popular Democratic leader, would prove a winner for State Treasurer next year.

W. J. Welbasky is to be congratulated upon the splendid success Altes Lager, the beer in the green bottle, is meeting in Chicago. Mr. Welbasky



MERRITT W. PINCKNEY,
Highly Esteemed Judge of the Circuit Court.

is Chicago manager for the big Tivoli Brewery, of Detroit, and he has a big host of friends and admirers who wish him well at all times.

H. E. L. Doggett, the popular Real Estate man, is being talked of for a nomination on the Democratic County ticket next year.

Harry L. Shaver, member of the Legislature from the Thirty-first district, is one of the hardest-working and best qualified men representing Chicago down at Springfield.

Thomas W. Gilmore, the well-known and highly respected coal merchant, and Twenty-fifth ward Republican, would make a splendid member of the City Council.

Judge Charles A. Williams is making the able and painstaking record on the Municipal Court bench that everyone of his friends knew he would make.

F. J. Hamler, the well-known boiler manufacturer, would prove a popular Democratic candidate for state treasurer or presidential elector next year.

John J. Coburn's candidacy for Superior Court Judge is arousing enthusiasm all over the city. The Democratic rank and file are with him to a man.

There are too many wooden man holes in Chicago.

John J. Geraghty, the popular head of the well-known button and badge firm, has earned the splendid success he has attained by his honorable and upright business methods.

John J. Coburn is a winner for Superior court judge. His candidacy is gaining in strength every day.

John J. Bradley, the popular Democratic leader and former alderman, would prove a strong candidate next year for state treasurer.

Alderman Irwin R. Hazen has built up by his splendid record as a public official, a lawyer and a citizen a big circle of friends and admirers throughout Chicago.

James S. Hopkins, the well known and highly respected lawyer and master-in-chancery, would make a splendid Superior Court judge.

Peter F. Galligan is daily adding to his big army of friends whether he is down at Springfield or in Chicago.

Col. James Hamilton Lewis enjoys the confidence and admiration of every Democrat in Chicago and throughout Illinois. He will be the choice of the party for United States senator next year.

Matt Aller, president of the successful and well known Home Brewery, enjoys a well earned popularity among Chicago's leading business men and political leaders.

Robert S. Hes, the well known and highly respected lawyer, is being urged by many for a Republican nomination for Superior Court next fall.

Granville W. Browning, the popular and highly respected lawyer and master-in-chancery, is in line for nomination by the Democrats for one of those Superior Court judgeships next fall.

Charles E. Cruikshank, the popular attorney and former State Senator, is strongly talked of for the Republican nomination for Clerk of the Municipal Court next year.

John K. Prindiville, the well known and well liked lawyer and Democrat, is in line for a judicial nomination either next fall or next year.

For 22 years the people of the North and Northwest sides have been paying taxes to the sanitary district without getting a cent's worth of benefit. The North Branch of the river stinks worse than ever and the cleaning of water filters develops the fact that lake

water still carries much filth. Yet the sanitary district proposes to tax still farther the people of the North and Northwest sides for the Calumet-Blue Island Canal.

What public official, if any, stands in with the slot machine graft on the elevated roads? "Weighing machines," that don't weigh; gum machines that take money and give up no gum. The whole of them, gum and weighing devices, should be torn off and thrown in the lake. This form of graft should be suppressed at once.

"Weighing" machines that are invariably out of order and gum machines that don't give out gum, are the regular thing on the elevated platforms. How long are they going to stay there?

Chicago has the rottenest telephone service of any city in the world.

The Democrats couldn't name a stronger man for one of those Superior Court nominations than William Ritchie.

Stillman B. Jamieson, the popular and well known attorney, is strongly talked of for Superior Court Judge next fall.

Col. James Hamilton Lewis has the inside track at present for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator next year.

Let the contest for those six Democratic nominations for Superior Court judge be a free-for-all. In that way everybody has a chance and the best ticket is named.

Thomas A. Smyth is making the splendid record as President of the Sanitary Board that everyone of his big army of friends knew he would make.

We would like to see this Man Hole Graft probed to the bottom.

Clyde A. Morrison, the popular lawyer and publisher, would make a strong Republican candidate for Superior Court Judge next fall.

James S. Hopkins has earned by his splendid record as a lawyer and a citizen, a widespread popularity.

The efforts of St. Louis bottlers to create the same sentiment for Sunday closing in Chicago that exists in St. Louis and Kansas City have failed, and will fail. Sunday closing is a dead issue in Chicago. The fact that it exists in Missouri is due very largely to the selfishness of the St. Louis crowd, who are always willing to sacrifice their saloon trade for one day in the interest of the big "lid club" bottle trade that they have built up through Sunday closing.

The Home Brewery, under the able presidency of Matt Aller, is doing a splendid business.

John P. McGoorty has the undivided support of the Democratic rank and file in his campaign for Circuit Court Judge. His honest and brilliant record is well known to the people.

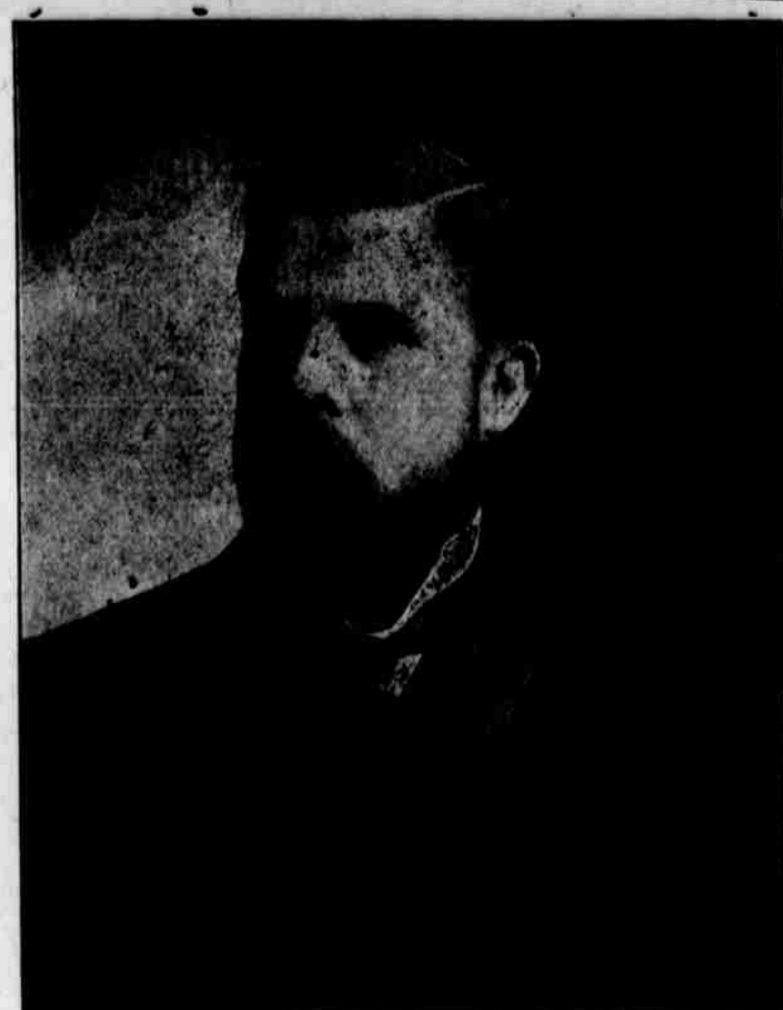
Lewis Rinaker, the popular and well known former county judge, is strongly talked of for a Republican nomination for one of those additional Superior Court judgeships.

Every dog in Chicago should be either muzzled or shot.

Zina R. Carter, the well known and highly respected grain man and Republican leader, would make a fine state treasurer.

Arthur W. Fulton, the popular lawyer and former alderman, is in line for nomination by the Republicans for Judge of the Superior Court.

John J. Coburn can be depended upon to make an aggressive and brilliant campaign for election to the Superior



CLAYTON E. CRAFTS,
Prominent Member of the Bar.

Court bench. A better man could not be placed there.

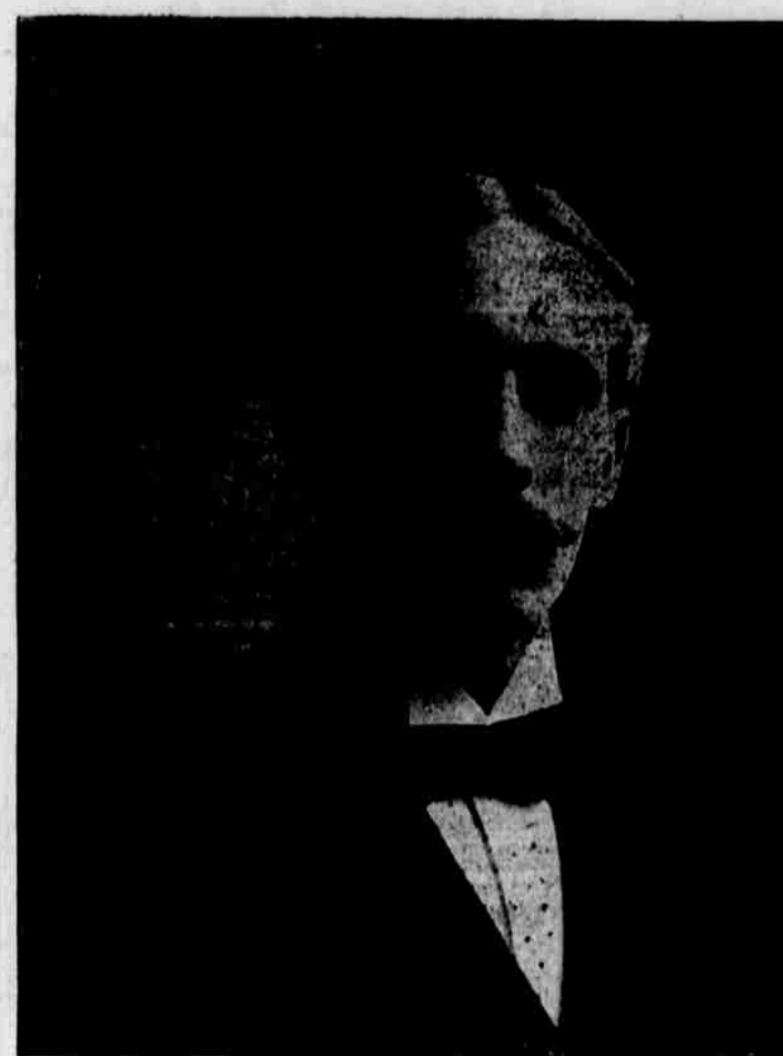
L. D. Condee is strongly backed by Republicans all over the city for nomination for Superior Court judge.

The people are sick and tired of seeing the elevated road platforms

all times point to with pride. The people's interest are well looked after by him on the Sanitary Board.

Clean out the municipal bench next year.

No man among Chicago's most successful financiers and business men is



ROBERT REDFIELD,
Well Known Attorney and Democrat.

littered up with gum machines and weighing devices that are invariably out of order.

Chicago needs an outer harbor.

As a business man, a public official and a citizen, George W. Paulin has a record to his credit that he can at

more entitled to his success than Albert G. Wheeler.

Judge Marcus Kavanagh's grand record on the bench makes his re-election next fall a certainty.

The ticket scalping graft in Chicago should be squelched.



HARRY HILDRETH,
A Leader in the Political, Business and Social World of Chicago.